# **Technology Sites and Resources**

## **Kentucky National Career Readiness Certification Center**

The Kentucky National Career Readiness Certificate<sup>™</sup> (KY NCRC) is an assessment-based credential that gives employers and Job Seekers a uniform measure of key workplace skills. The site provides employers, Job Seekers, and workforce professionals with information about the National Career Readiness Certification. The NCRC is an assessment-based credential that gives employers and Job Seekers a uniform measure of key workplace skills.

https://ncrc.ky.gov/Default.aspx

#### Facebook

Facebook is a <u>social networking service</u> and website launched in February 2004, operated and privately owned by Facebook, Inc. As of January 2011, Facebook has more than 600 million active users. Users may create a personal profile, add other users as friends, and exchange messages, including automatic notifications when they update their profile. Additionally, users may join common interest user groups, organized by workplace, school or college, or other characteristics.

http://www.facebook.com/



#### Wikipedia

Wikipedia is a <u>free</u>, <u>web-based</u>, <u>collaborative</u>, <u>multilingual encyclopedia</u> project supported by the non-profit <u>Wikimedia Foundation</u>. Its 18 million articles (over 3.6 million in <u>English</u>) have been written collaboratively by <u>volunteers</u> around the world, and almost all of its articles can be edited by anyone with access to the site.

http://www.wikipedia.org/



#### **Microsoft Live**

Microsoft Office Live is a partially discontinued web-based service providing document sharing and website creation tools for consumers and small businesses.

Access, Edit, and Share Documents from Anywhere

http://www.officelive.com/en-us/



### Google

Want to know about anything? Google it.

http://www.google.com/

http://www.google.com/earth/index.html



#### You Tube

Founded in February 2005, YouTube allows billions of people to discover, watch and share originally-created videos. YouTube provides a forum for people to connect, inform, and inspire others across the globe and acts as a distribution platform for original content creators and advertisers large and small. See our company timeline for more information on our company history.

http://www.youtube.com/



#### **Educator Tube**

EduTube is an educational video search platform launched in April 2008. Our aim is to organize the best free online educational videos, and make them easy for you to find, watch and download.

http://www.edutube.org/



#### **Teacher Tube**

Our goal is to provide an online community for sharing instructional videos. We seek to fill a need for a more educationally focused, safe venue for teachers, schools, and home learners. It is a site to provide anytime, anywhere professional development with teachers teaching teachers. As well, it is a site where teachers can post videos designed for students to view in order to learn a concept or skill.

http://www1.teachertube.com/



## Craigslist

**Q:** What is craigslist?

A: Local classifieds and forums - community moderated, and largely free.

http://www.craigslist.org/about/sites



#### Skype

With Skype, you can share a story, celebrate a birthday, learn a language, hold a meeting, work with colleagues – just about anything you need to do together every day. You can use Skype on whatever works best for you - on your phone or computer or a TV with Skype on it. It is free to start using Skype - to speak, see and instant message other people on Skype for example.

http://www.skype.com/intl/en-us/home



## **Twitter**

Twitter is a real-time information network that connects you to the latest information about what you find <u>interesting</u>. Simply find the public streams you find most compelling and follow the conversations.

http://twitter.com/



## HelpWantedLexington.com

Looking to fill jobs in the Lexington Region? HelpWantedLexington.com is the easiest, most cost effective way to promote your job openings to local job seekers and find the perfect employee.

http://regionalhelpwanted.com/home/208.htm

## HelpWantedLexington.com

## **LINCS** Literacy Information and Communication System

The Literacy Information and Communication System, commonly referred to as *LINCS*, is a national dissemination, resource gathering, and professional development system providing information on a wide variety of literacy relevant topics, issues, and resources.

http://lincs.ed.gov/lincs/

## Framework for 21st Century Learning

The Framework presents a holistic view of 21st century teaching and learning that combines a discrete focus on 21st century student outcomes (a blending of specific skills, content knowledge, expertise and literacies) with innovative support systems to help students master the multi-dimensional abilities required of them in the 21st century.

http://www.p21.org/

